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Des Moines, IA
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Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prw/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119	467979	136.72	0.31
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80	202722	150.20	2.72
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25	1777758	183.15	2.51
120	Brisket	6-14	2354496	107.48	-1.70
123A	Short Rib	1-4	117045	112.06	7.20
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85	20795	157.30	6.60
161	Round, Bnls	42-80	141508	166.22	2.71
168	Inside Round	14-26	1483298	158.56	3.21
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33	141198	159.70	1.93
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		2797829	117.89	-0.27
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		158511	141.48	-3.48

Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items

Boneless Chuck 85%			128.59	-1.35
Top Inside Round	12-16		173.27	-8.88

Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh

90% Chemical Lean		3883473	124.88	-6.20
50% Chemical Lean		5997942	54.48	3.08

Pork

Pork Loins, Fresh ¼" Trim	21 lbs/dn	10.0	108.00	3.77
Boston Butt, Fresh ¼" Trim	5-10 lbs	30.0	90.28	-5.33
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs	0.0	0.00	--

Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs	2.0	79.00	2.46
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 lbs	9.0	71.44	2.35

Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs	8.0	89.75	--
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs	6.0	86.00	-4.00

Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		18.0	58.83	-4.39
72% Chemical Lean		29.5	51.81	-1.38

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



Dairy Market News
Madison, WI
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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
1.5975-1.6675	1.6600-1.6700

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week	Last Week
1.5575-1.9700	1.6050-9700

Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price – 23-Sep-05

Basic price used to set Class I prices, dollars per gallon, October

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
1.2270	+0.0490	-0.0439



Poultry Market News
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Broiler/Fryers

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered
New York 65.79 Chicago 64.72 Los Angeles 80.75

Parts Bulk

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 121.97 Leg Quarters 47.33
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 108.34 Leg Quarters 44.01

Young Turkeys

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Pound, Delivered
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs
Eastern 82.00 81.50
Central 83.38 80.38
Western 86.00 80.00

Table Eggs

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen
Northeast 51.00 Metropolitan Areas
Southeast 49.50 New York 56.00-60.00
Midwest 41.50 Chicago & MW 46.00-55.00
S. Central 48.50 S. California 72.00-75.00

Egg Products

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound
Whole 25.50-34.00 Whites 20.00-20.50 Yolks 63.50-64.50
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale Per Pound

	Whole Eggs	Whites
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot)	54.00-59.00	40.00-55.00
Central	48.00-51.00	35.00-38.00
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot)	54.00-58.00	40.00-43.00
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container (Range)		
Whole 1.52-1.85	Yolks 1.65-1.85	Blends 1.29-1.50



Fruit & Vegetable Market News
Washington, DC
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Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFcy, Containers Tray Pack, 100s Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA controlled regular storage 14.00
Pears, Bartlett, USOne, 4/5 bushel carton (44lb) wrapped, Mendocino Lake County, CA 18.00
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, medium-large, Salinas-Watsonville CA 7.90
Oranges, Valencia Shippers 1st Grade, 7/10 bushel cartons, 113s, Central & South District CA 9.50
Peaches, Various Yellow Flesh Varieties CA Well Matured cartons 2 layer traypack, Central and South San Joaquin Valley
40-42 size 10.00
48-50 size 9.50

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 4.90
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA 9.85
Celery, 2 ½ doz ctns, Santa Maria CA 7.35
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 7.25
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 11/9 bushel cartons, large, South GA San Joaquin Valley CA 10.45
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, U.S.One, 25 lb. Cts, 6x6 sizes, West FL 11.45
Michigan 6 X 6 size 10.10
Central District CA, large 8.20
Onions, Yellow Grano, Jumbo, 50 lb Sacks, North & East Points CO 9.50
Spanish Hybrid, ID and Malheur County, OR 7.25
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, U.S. One, 50lb ctns, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls, Burley District and Western ID 10.00

Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per Unit.

* Supplies insufficient to establish a market. Harvesting curtailed due to wet fields.